

REMARKS

The claims have been amended to remove the reference numerals for clarity. The Applicants note that the reference numerals are not intended to affect the scope of the claims.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Daniel J. Stanger". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "D".

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